



County Gains 361 People During Past 10 Years

City Of Grayling Loses 82 People During Same Time

County Now 4,126.
Grayling 2,042

Crawford County showed a gain of 361 people since the 1940 census was taken marking an almost 10 percent gain for a total population of 4,126. The City of Grayling, on the other hand, lost a total of 82 people during the last decade and now stands at a figure of 2,042. The figures were released from the district office at Bay City for the 17th decennial United States census.

In contrast to the City of Grayling loss, Gaylord gained 208,

Charlevoix 385, Boyne City 100, East Jordan 44, Petoskey 412, Traverse City 2,224, Clare 532, East Tawas 338, Tawas City 362, West Branch 125, and Gladwin 372.

The cities of Gaylord, Clare and West Branch were all smaller than Grayling when the 1940 census was taken but now have risen over this city in population. East Tawas which in 1940 was 484 people smaller now lacks 34 people of being Grayling.

Every county in the north part of Michigan showed a gain in population except Kalamazoo which lost 590 people during the past decade.

No figures were released for ward and township populations. These statistics will come later from Washington, D. C., Gerald Hutton, acting 10th district census supervisor, explained.

Population for the entire district increased from 218,876 in 1940 to 233,744, a gain of 15.7 percent.

With the release of population figures for all counties in the district and all cities of more than 1,000 population the affairs of the district census office in the federal building have almost ceased.

Hutton who released the figures has been acting district supervisor since June 19 when W. J. Kelly resigned, turning over his duties to Hutton who was his assistant.

Taking of the census started April 1 throughout the district. Delays in completing the count were caused by impassable roads in the rural districts and a shortage of enumerators in some townships and precincts.

With the shipping of the census record to Washington, D. C., the affairs of the district office will be brought to a close within a few days.

Final census figures will later be released from the nation's capital along with auxiliary reports on census figures for townships and wards and on the number of houses, the number of persons employed, etc.

To Open New Drive In Snack Spot

Work was started Monday on a new drive-in snack bar located just south of the Knibbs Service Station on US-27. The building, which will include a 5 by 16 serving bar and an 8 by 16 kitchen, will be a four foot overhang around the building is being constructed for Charles Parks, Bay City Superintendent of Schools and summer resident on the AuSable River just east of Grayling.

The new snack spot, for which a name has not been selected as yet, will be operated by the Parks children, Richard, Mary and Fred. It will only be operated during the summer months and it is hoped to open about August 1 this year. They will serve hamburgs, hot dogs, root beer, malted milk coffee, shoestring potatoes and other miscellaneous items. Mr. Parks stated that the building would be of an attractive design and would be lighted with neon lights. The new snack spot will probably be operated from noon on through the evening, he stated.

Lincoln Lodge Has Distinguished Guests

Frank Murray of Lincoln Lodge on the AuSable River east of Grayling entertained a large group of distinguished guests over the past week end. Among them were Don Leonard, Commissioner of the State Police, Harry Henderson, Liquor Control Commissioner, Hugh O'Connor, chief of the Detroit FBI office, Judges Miles Cullihan, McKay Skillman and Joseph Gillies, all Detroit; Jack Carlisle of the Detroit News and Kenneth McCormick of the Detroit Free Press, both Pulitzer prize winners for reporting, George Edward, president of the Detroit Common Council.

On Saturday evening, six local men were invited to join the group for dinner and the evening. Attending from Grayling were John Bruun, Dr. C. R. Keyport, Col. Roy Sindlinger, Charles Moore, Henning Knudsen and Robert Strong. Mr. Murray has now opened Lincoln Lodge for meals to the public and he announces that groups up to six could be accommodated without reservation. Groups of a larger number must have reservations and can do so by dropping a card to Lincoln Lodge before hand. Riding horses, canoes and river boats are also available as well as sleeping accommodations.

Stewart Woodfill, president of Mackinac Island's Grand Hotel who is a bridge builder, was at the Lincoln Lodge for the state reorganization study. One of the 27 state government functions now being studied by experts are state agencies dealing with labor, workmen's compensation and unemployment compensation.

Assistant Provost John A. Perkins, former state controller who is director of the project, Robert S. Ford, who is head of the university's Bureau of Government and Gordon Gray of the Bureau of Government had just about completed the report when Perkins, Ford and Gray are now trying to put down on paper as much as they can remember. Michigan's 45th Legislature is observing June's Dairy Month by pointing to these facts. Cash receipts of milk products were near 100 million dollars in 1949 for 30 percent of Michigan's total farm income. The investment in production, processing and delivery exceeds a billion dollars.

Agricultural economists of Michigan State College forecast "slight or lower" farm produce prices in the second half of 1959, as compared with 1949. Farm income nationally is down 20 percent from the 1948 peak.

Michigan's automobile industry and GM's five-year peace pact with CIO, is leading the nation's prosperity parade at present. Car output is forecast at seven million (including trucks). Retail trade is due to be better than 1949. However, consumers are still calling for a reduction in prices, and the dependency of the 1950 boom on automobiles and housing has prompted several economists to recommend caution.

WHAT - WHERE - WHEN
July 5 - Regular meeting Grayling Chapter No. 83, O. E. S.
August meeting - First Thursday evening each month, business.
Third Thursday evening, social.
August 11 - 8:00 P. M., Legion Hall, 1200 Michigan.
August 12 - 8:00 P. M., Legion Hall, 1200 Michigan.
August 13 - 8:00 P. M., Legion Hall, 1200 Michigan.
August 14 - 8:00 P. M., Legion Hall, 1200 Michigan.

City Notice
The July meeting of the Grayling Council will be held on July 10th rather than July 8th, due to the holiday.

Local Man's Brother Killed In Car Accident

Mr. Fred Welsh and Thomas Welsh left Saturday night for Charleston, W. Va., having received news of the accidental death of Fred R. Welsh's brother, Clifford Cassell of Livingston, California, in an auto collision.

The deceased's wife, Margaret Cassell and Mr. Welsh's sister, Mrs. Joseph Ryder, of Modesto, California, were injured in the same accident. Mr. and Mrs. Cassell, and Mr. and Mrs. Ryder had expected to visit Mr. Welsh at his home in Grayling, Michigan, before returning to California.

Table Toppers Hold Banquet

Around five hundred Table Toppers and guests attended what was said to be the largest banquet held by the group in Michigan which took place at the Pioneer Hills Sports Park on Monday evening.

There was also an executive board meeting held during the afternoon. James Doherty of Brighton served as master of ceremonies for the outing and among those present were Senator Charles Prescott and the liquor commissioners from the Lansing office.

The Frankennuth Trio, three little girls around thirteen years old, entertained with singing and dancing. The girls were from Roscommon. Those attending the meeting from Grayling and vicinity were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kramet, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kovach, George Smigens, Mr. and Mrs. Art Worden, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Legner, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Redding, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Hinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Sajdak, Roy Trudgion, Attorney and Mrs. Robert Neafie, Sheriff and Mrs. William Wakon, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Shilwaker, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Nixon, Clarence Deidrich and Gerald Worden.

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TAKES AN OLD FASHIONED WALK... Lieut. Gen. Kuma Deroyonko, Russian delegate to the allied council for Japan, leaves the Elsie building in Tokyo after walking out of the 108th session of the council. He preferred taking the walk to discussing the issue of missing Japanese prisoners of war, captured by the Russians in 1945. Sentinels are saluting the general, who is just following a well-worn Russian tradition in saluting out of conferences before they're over.

Class of '35 Holds Reunion

The Grayling High School Class of 1935 enjoyed a reunion at Wayside Inn on Saturday evening. Twenty-two were on hand to enjoy a wonderful chicken dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Bond were also present as well as the alumni their husbands and wives.

A short talk was given by the class president, Harvey Regan. The get together was such a success that a similar event is planned for next year. Plans are also in progress for starting a Grayling High School Alumni Association with the 1935 class taking the initiative.

All had a fine time and are looking forward to another meeting next year.

Kiwanis Club Notes

Lee Nolan, who was sponsored to Wolverine Boy's State by the Kiwanis Club of Grayling this year, gave his report on the sessions of the Monday night meeting of the club held at the Lone Pine Inn.

Lee gave a very fine report that covered every step of the boys conference from the time of leaving Grayling until the return trip. His short talk gave the club members a good inside picture of the working of Boys State and the things that are accomplished there.

John Peterson who was in charge of the program Monday evening then presented an all color movie entitled, "Welcome to Camp Grayling." The picture was made here at the camp by the National Guard during last year's encampment and depicted the training of the Guard troops here. Many fine scenes of the camp from the air and on the Governor's reviewing were shown. The movie was very much enjoyed by the club. Charles Piper operated the projector.

Three Grayling archers took ribbons at an archery meeting held at Traverse City last Sunday. They were Glen Day, Frank Scott and Mrs. Pauline Meeker.

The Grayling archers have planned a picnic for Thursday (today) weather permitting. There is to be a 14 target shoot at 7 P. M., followed by a weiner roast, music and singing.

All Grayling archers, their supporters and friends are cordially invited. The meet will be at their range two miles south of Grayling on US-27.

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Grayling Takes Sixth Loop Win

Grayling continued their winning streak to six straight North Central Michigan Baseball League victories as they pounded a hapless Rust team into the dust with a 30 to 10 score.

Bob "Musty" Gildner went the distance for Grayling on the mound to register his sixth victory, being tagged for 14 hits, but, able to coast as his mates picked up 28 base blows Rust was also charged with eight errors while Grayling made three misplays.

The losers used Farrier and Caswell on the mound with McMurphy doing the catching. Ross Thompson was behind the plate for Grayling.

Rust started the game off on the right foot by scoring two runs in the initial inning and held the local team scoreless in their half of the opening inning. In the last of the second inning, Grayling broke loose for four runs to make the score 4 to 2, but Rust came back with six runs in the first of the third to go ahead again 8 to 4. Grayling added four more runs in their half of the third to tie up the contest.

Both teams went scoreless in the fourth, but Grayling counted two runs in their half of the fifth to go into the lead. They added 7 more in the sixth, 2 in the seventh and 11 in the eighth with Rust finally getting their final two in the first of the ninth inning.

The next league game for the league leading Grayling Indians is July 9 when they travel to Houghton Lake. Sunday, July 2 Grayling will meet Rosecommon here in a non-league tilt and Tuesday, July 4 is an open date for Grayling. The team is trying to line up a game but nothing has been definitely set as yet.

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Historic Impact Of Declaration Was 'Startling'

The right of all men to "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness" is being endangered by the deadwood thinking of many who consider the Declaration to be little more than an idealistic cliché. Yet, since the turn of this century, the world has fought two wars because its people wanted to be free of despots and authoritarian governments. Tragically, the issue still is not resolved. Some day it may be. But, as the following editorial remarks try to point out, that day will not come until we all affirm and reaffirm our faith in the principles that motivated the creators of the United States Declaration of Independence in 1776.

MOST PEOPLE today consider the Declaration of Independence a historical move by which this country set forth its vow for independence, but lack the imagination to understand that in the year 1776 it was a startling declaration. In fact, with the possible exception of the Bible, and the Magna Carta in 1215, it is one of the most astonishing documents ever published by man.

Look at it from the viewpoint that up until that time in recorded history no group of men had gathered upon the face of the earth and declared they would rule themselves, that they were capable of ruling themselves.

Before that the ruling of a nation was concentrated in the hands of a few men. The masses were not capable of ruling that had been the philosophy of governments since the beginning of time.

Then, suddenly, a group of men met in Philadelphia, in a raw and untamed country, and issued a document that bluntly avowed: people have the right to overthrow the government under which they live; they have a right to alter or abolish any government that does not operate for their good and happiness. That is a startling declaration.

Such an experiment began that succeeded and grew. Succeeded so well, in fact, that it came to be regarded as commonplace. And today the Declaration of Independence is thought of by school children as a musty document which many of them are forced to memorize and find boring to read. United States citizens have accepted without reservation the idea that all peoples have a right to overthrow, abolish and alter any government under which they live.

THE TIMES in which the men lived who wrote and signed the Declaration were troubled times, much as they are today. Men throughout the world were demanding freedom of action and thought.

An Englishman, Dr. Richard Price, at the conclusion of the Revolutionary War, wrote: "Perhaps I do not go too far when I say that, next to the introduction of Christianity among mankind, the American revolution may prove the most important step in the progressive course of human improvement."

Dr. Price was correct. It was the step that started the human race on a new trend of thought—freedom for all.

AND the time may be coming when the peoples of all the world, not just a nation, will issue their declaration of independence and no nation will enslave another or force its conception of government on its neighbor. That, too, will be a startling document.

John Adams, who helped compose the Declaration said: "The Revolution was affected before the war commenced. The Revolution was in the hearts and minds of the people."

Fred Bear Appears On
Detroit Sportsman's
Program

Everything in the outdoors from primitive Indian music to archery and casting demonstrations was presented to a capacity audience at Rackham Educational Memorial Auditorium, Detroit, Wednesday and Thursday evenings at the Detroit News Sportsman's program which was co-sponsored by the University of Michigan Extension Service.

Included on the program was a talk and demonstration by Fred Bear of the Grayling Bear Archery Company. Sioux Chief Maza Kinyan (Norman Ewing) who played authentic Indian compositions as part of the program, was shown a modern hunting arrow by Mr. Bear and found it a far cry from the flint-tipped shaft of his ancestors.

Mrs. Bear accompanied Mr. Bear to Detroit.

Parched hope is living death; we all need to drink of the fountain of eternal hope flowing from the mountain of God's divine truth, for life.

Beginning July 9th Mt. Hope Lutheran Church will have its worship services at 7:30 P. M. at the Grange hall. All are cordially invited to attend. At present Pastor Ralph Claus is preaching a series of sermons on the Apostles' Creed.

St. Mary's Church Summer
Mass Schedule
Beginning on Sunday, July 2nd, and extending until Sunday, September 3rd, inclusive, Sunday Masses will be said at 7:00, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00.

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WANT ADS

TELEPHONE 3111

For Rent
Lost or Found
For Sale
Wanted to Buy
Miscellaneous

RATES—Advertisements in this department cost 35 cents for 25 words or less for each insertion. For more than 25 words one cent a word for each insertion. Rates for display advertising in the classified columns on application. Orders by mail should be accompanied by cash or postage stamps. An extra charge of 10c will be made for blind ads and if it is necessary to bill for an advertisement that has been charged.

The Want Ad Department closes for each week's edition at 5:30 P. M. on Tuesday.

HANDSAW FILING—Any kind, also knives, axes, draw knives, planes, shears, chisels or anything you have to sharpen. Ed Bowen, 704 Lonia. Phone 4341. 7-24 tf

DRESS MAKING—Alterations and other types of sewing wanted. Mrs. Hatley, Phone 4861. 2-10 tf

PHOTO FINISHING, developing, printing, enlarging, 3 day service. Leave films at Dad Hanson's Sporting Goods, Callahan's Sunoco Service, 101 McClellan. Hauxwell Photo Service, 802 Plum St., Grayling. Phone 44 66. April 14 tf

FOR NEW BUILDING, alterations or repairs, foundation to roof, fireplaces, chimneys, tile floors laid. Nelson S. Wyman, Grayling. Phone 4531 or call Martin's Hi-Speed. 1-19 tf

RIETH THE WATCHMAKER—"If Rieth can't repair your watch, throw it away." We have repaired over 75,000 watches and clocks. Mail or bring to Ed C. Rieth, "Rich Haven," Grayling. Near Wakeley Bridge. Phone 4174. 4-14 tf

BEST PRICES on wall and floor tile and linoleum. Northern Michigan Tile Co., Kalkaska. 5-18 tf

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SPRUCE STREET—Large 4 bedroom, full basement, with stoker steam furnace. Garage, nice lot, \$5,500.

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ROSE STREET—Two bedroom, living room, kitchen, insulated, enclosed porch. A very good deal at \$2,150.

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TWO NEW, two bedroom homes, with baths, three lots, nice pine grove. All for \$5,800.

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Phone 3911

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SPECIAL EVERY WEEK—100 Mixed heavy breed chicks and 100 size electric brooders only \$13.75 postage. Also standard pullets available now, four to eight weeks old. Sterling Poultry Farm and Hatchery, Sterling, Mich. 4-27 tf

FRANK'S PLUMBING SHOP—8 miles north of Roscommon on old US-27. Free estimates. Plumbing material and fixtures. Goulds pumps. Briggs Beauty Ware. Frank L. Mulkkin, Route 1, Roscommon, Mich. 8-8tf

DON'T THROW THEM AWAY!—Repair them today at S. O. S. Stencils—Cleaners Agency, Phone 4261. Proprietor Lyle St. John, Grayling, Mich. 6-15 tf

FOR RENT, LEASE OR SALE—Cheap. 6 room house, semi-modern, 2 car garage, also cabin business on North Branch of AuSable River, Lovells, Mich. Arthur Feldhauser, 404 Plum St., Grayling, Mich. 15-22-29

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PAPER TABLE CLOTH—300 ft. roll \$3.25. Avalanche Office. tf

HOUSE TRAILER FOR SALE—Call 4311 or inquire 404 Chestnut St., City. 29

ARMSTRONG FLOOR COVERING. Free estimates. Roy Coupland. Phone 3111. 4-6 tf

FOR SALE—Fryers, dressed or alive. Ernest Corwin, Roscommon Mich., Route 1. 15-22-29-6

WANTED TO BUY—Standing timber of any kind with or without the land, within 70 mile area. Vern Cunningham, Star Route, Grayling. 29-6

FOR SALE—6 green window awnings, practically new. Dr. J. F. Cook. Phone 2231. 29

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that anyone wishing to become a candidate for the office of trustee on the Board of Education in Grayling School District No. 1 must file their nominating petitions with the secretary, Roy O. Milnes, between June 19 and July 6, 1950.

This year two trustees will be elected, the terms of Roy O. Milnes and Emil Giegling expiring.

The annual school meeting will be held in the High School on Monday, July 10, 1950 at 8 P. M. 29-6 Roy O. Milnes Secretary.

Lovells Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carlson of Hazel Park spent the week end with their parents, the John Kurchenkos at Shu-Pac Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Huffs are spending several weeks at their cabin. Lloyd Malmquist of Detroit spent the week end at their cabin.

The Bob Hopkins enjoyed a few days at their summer home. Margaret and Edgar Douglas made a trip to West Branch Sunday.

There will be no services at the Chapel Sunday night. All are invited to the program put on at Lewiston Church by the pupils who have attended Bible School.

Ruth Diana Halberg is the assistant at Caid's Grocery for the summer weeks. Ruth graduated from McKenzie High School last week and this fall will enter Wayne University.

Don McCormick returned from the East with his young son, who has been a patient at one of the hospitals there for some time. The little fellow is 14 months old and at present the grandmother, Mrs. Louise Haefka will be giving him the needed care. Don made the trip by plane.

Mrs. Ruth Caid returned Friday from Mt. Pleasant, where she left together with over 40 other teachers on the Educational tour of New England states. Mrs. Caid reports a wonderful time while gone, having seen not only beautiful country but many interesting historical sights.

A dancing party at the Town Hall every Saturday night.

COUNTY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Hinkle attended the banquet at Pioneer Hills Park near Roscommon Monday night. This event was sponsored by the Northern Michigan Table Toppers.

Foster Wilson and party from Oil City, who have been on a fishing trip at Thunder Bay visited the Lances in Frederic Wednesday on their way home.

Virginia Kaiser left Monday to visit relatives and friends in Flint and Corunna for the week.

Mildred Demiere motored to Waverline Wednesday to visit her niece and family, Bud Showers.

Belva and Art Babcock, who have been visiting relatives at Palo, stopped to say hello to the Lances Friday while on their way home to Lewiston.

The Allitons, McAlverys and Friars from Owosso came Friday to enjoy the fishing around Frederic. While here the Friars purchased the former Roby home.

Doris Bigham was taken to the Grayling Hospital for treatment Monday afternoon.

Joan, Mary Ellen and Eileen Madill, Edna Dunkley and Ethel Gilbert enjoyed the week end camping at Hart Lake.

Bill Leng will motor to Detroit the 29th and return with a new Dodge, also a Plymouth.

The Johnstons have their new garage and gas station across from the Air Port at Grayling open and are welcoming their old and new customers.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnston spent the week end in Pontiac on business.

Wm. Leng and wife celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Johnston and Dorothy of Buffalo, N. Y., are visiting his brother and family, Earl Johnston at Frederic. Earl's son from Pontiac is also here to spend the summer with them.

The Moms will have a real treat with that famous strawberry shortcake at Bessie Cooks Saturday.

Those who came from Alma to enjoy the fishing at Frederic over the week end were the Nemets, Smiths and Hills.

Honeymooning in the north are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kequorn, newlyweds, who exchanged vows at the Mt. Pleasant Church Saturday. The bride is the former

Phyllis Pego, daughter of Mrs. Lenora Pego of Mt. Pleasant. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Kequorn of Frederic. The parents and many other relatives and friends attended the wedding. A reception was held at the bride's mothers home in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kequorn will make their home in Grayling.

The rain was a life saver for the berry crop and especially the wild strawberries. Other kinds were not suffering.

Dale Allen returned home from Ohio, where he was working for a pipe line company. To much rain, he expects to go back after July 4.

Pete Hutter, wife and son of Big Bay, Mich., who have been on a vacation returned from Chicago last week to call on C. S. Barber and visit with the Kenneth Allens.

Mrs. Maggie Niver of Santa Ana, California, arrived at Kalamazoo last Friday, June 23, and was met by her cousin, Claude Tompkins of Coperville. Sunday they drove over to Frederic and had dinner at C. S. Barbers, then took Flora Mae, Maggie's sister, home with them. They will return later to Frederic.

The Home Extension Club met at the Town Hall last Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Ivan Hamblin as hostess. The Frederic Home Extension ladies were the guests of the club. Plans were made for the Flower Show and County Rally Day, which will be held on August 28. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Roy Johnston on July 18.

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Maple Forest

Guests of Mrs. Hugh MacMillan the past week were her two sisters, Mrs. Emma Seidel of Detroit, Mrs. Effie Wright of Fowlerville and her daughter, Kathryn, of Midland.

Thursday they spent at Harbor Springs and Goodheart, coming home by Manicelona and having supper with their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sherman.

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Cold-Stream PINK SALMON
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2 16 1/2-oz. cans 23c

Blended CITRUS JUICE
46-oz. can 37c

Sunsweet PRUNE JUICE
4-oz. can 20c

Dole Crushed PINEAPPLE
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2 16-oz. cans 27c

Long FOK & BEANS
16-oz. can 2c

TOMATO SOUP
11-oz. can 10c

COOKED HAM
Sunnyfield, Shank Portion 1b. 53c

Frying Chickens
Pen-Ready, Fancy Rocks 1b. 57c

CHICKEN ROAST
1b. 63c

BAKING MEAT
1b. 42c

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| Jumbo Red Diplo — 32-34 D. Average | WATERMELON | 1/2 — 50c 1/4 — 25c each | 99c |
| Dolichos Santa Rosa | PLUMS | 1/2 — 25c | |
| Large Crisp Solid | HEAD LETTUCE | 2 — 20c | |
| | POTATO BREAD | 1/2 — 15c | |
| | SANDWICH ROLLS | 1/2 — 12c | |
| | SHORT CAKE SWEETS | 1/2 — 17c | |
| | SANDWICH BREAD | 1/2 — 17c | |
| | POTATO CHIPS | 1/2 — 50c | |
| | 1250 ANGEL FOOD BAR | 1 — 30c | |
| | Fresh Tender Cress | PASCAL CELERY | 1/2 — 25c |
| | Fresh Tomato Cress | RADISHES | 3 large bunches 1/2 |
| | Fresh Tomato Cress | PEANUTS | 1-lb. can 35c |
| | Good-O-Best American | CHEESE FOOD | 2 1/2-lb. cans 6c |
| | Good-O-Best American | CREAM CHEESE | 2 3-oz. cans 2c |
| | Good-O-Best American | BRICK CHEESE | 1/2 — 15c |
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Grayling, Michigan, Thursday, June 29, 1950

That Census Figure

The 1950 census figures which were released last week showed a nice, healthy ten per increase in the population of Crawford County, but, oh, that Grayling city figure certainly surprised a lot of folks.

Among them was City Manager Max Davenport who could not believe it. He wondered that all of Grayling's homes are filled and many new ones built in the last ten years and still the population decreased by 82 citizens. The city faces a loss of revenue from the sales tax diversion which is based on population.

Well, the decrease, and Grayling was the only city in this part of the state to show a decline, will be blamed on as many things as people you talk to about it. There probably are several facets to the problem, but, we feel that the one big reason is the lack of sufficient full time employment.

Several cracks have been taken at getting industry into Grayling and each time it has not turned out, but, there is, always another time and to meet with success who ever is attempting to bring a small plant in here will need the support of every Grayling citizen. The person or group will not need any hindrance or whispering campaign, in one word, they need co-operation.

And if there is any one word that this town needs to learn and respect it is "co-operation." Especially if they wish to keep pace with neighboring communities.

—R. W. S.

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THE DAY WE CELEBRATE

Interesting Events In
Grayling 23 Years AgoINTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE
FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

June 30, 1927

Miss Bessie Brown has resigned her position at the A. & P. store, which place will be filled by Miss Ona Lozon.

Albert Schroeder has resigned his position with the Cowell Barber Shop and accepted a position in Charlevoix.

Misses Ella and Margrethe Hanson, Helen and Mary Esther Schumann, Marguerite Warren Elizabeth, Macon with Miss Thana Smith of Lapeer and Miss Julia Supernau of East Jordan as chaperons are enjoying a weeks outing at Danish Landing.

To honor Miss Mildred Bates, who will be a July bride, Mrs. Oscar Schumann and Miss Eleanor entertained with a delightful bridge shower Wednesday afternoon.

Thirty-two boys and girls responded to the invitation of Nadine MacNeven, yesterday afternoon to help her celebrate her birthday. Contests were enjoyed for which prizes were awarded to Mildred Speck, Buddy Sorenson and Charles Clauson won two prizes.

One of the prettiest birthday parties was given at Connie's Grove Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Joseph Smith for her little friend Mary Gretchen Connine of Birmingham. Games and contests were enjoyed, Margaret Huges and George Lietz winning prizes.

The McMaster summer resort on the South Branch of the AuSable is now closed for the season. Mrs. McMasters, who has lived here for 35 years is leaving for Atlanta, where she has accepted a position with the Kneeland Bigelow Co.

Word has been received of the death of a former well known

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112 Michigan Ave.

OLGA NIELSEN, Secretary
Phone 3631

Timberliner Run
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New York Central service to the Northern Michigan resort area will be expanded beginning Friday, June 30, when the Timberliner begins operation between Detroit and Mackinac City.

The Timberliner will operate northbound from Detroit every Friday through September 1, leaving Detroit at 5 P. M. and arriving at Mackinac City at 11:59 A. M. It will operate southbound July 4 and then every Sunday thereafter through August 27 and Labor Day, September 4, leaving Mackinac City at 4:30 P. M. and arriving at the Michigan Central Station at 11:30 P. M.

The new resort train will carry reclining seat, air-conditioned coaches and a tavern lounge car. Stops will be made in both directions at Woodward Avenue in Detroit, Rochester, Lapeer, Bay City, West Side Station, West Branch, Roscommon, Grayling, Gaylord and all stations north to Mackinac City.

This service is in addition to the daily overnight pullman and coach train in each direction between Detroit and Mackinac City.

gone to Canada for a visit. They will return in time for the opening of school.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Reinback of Terre Haute, Ind., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hum. Mrs. Reinback will be remembered as

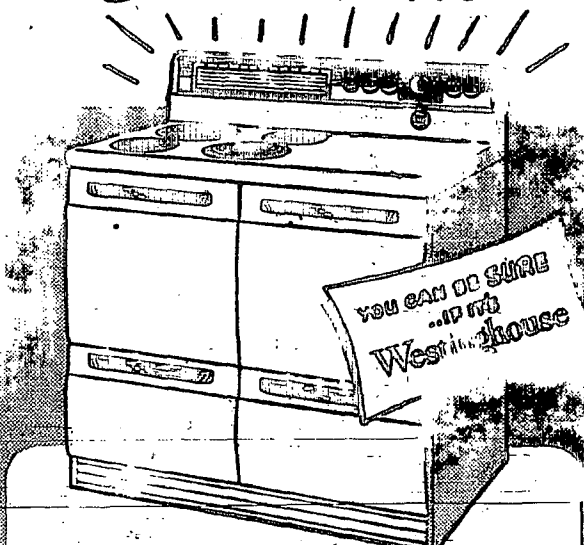
Miss Maude Oiver. F. P. Richardson was in town Monday. His injured arm is improving nicely. He took home a new Harrison wagon, the best on wheels.

Highway Commissioner Brink has let the job of rebuilding the lower bridge at Wakeleys to Crampton for \$450.00, he being the lowest bidder.

The nebula in the constellation Andromeda is the most distant object in the sky which can be seen without a telescope.

The so-called "fairy rings," a dark green circle on lawns or meadows, is caused by a fungus growth in the soil.

FILM DEVELOPING: Eight exposure roll films developed, one print each, 25 cents; 12 exposures 35 cents; 18 exposures 50 cents. Reprints 4 cents each. Mail film and coin to Cherryland Photo Finishers, Box 512, Traverse City.

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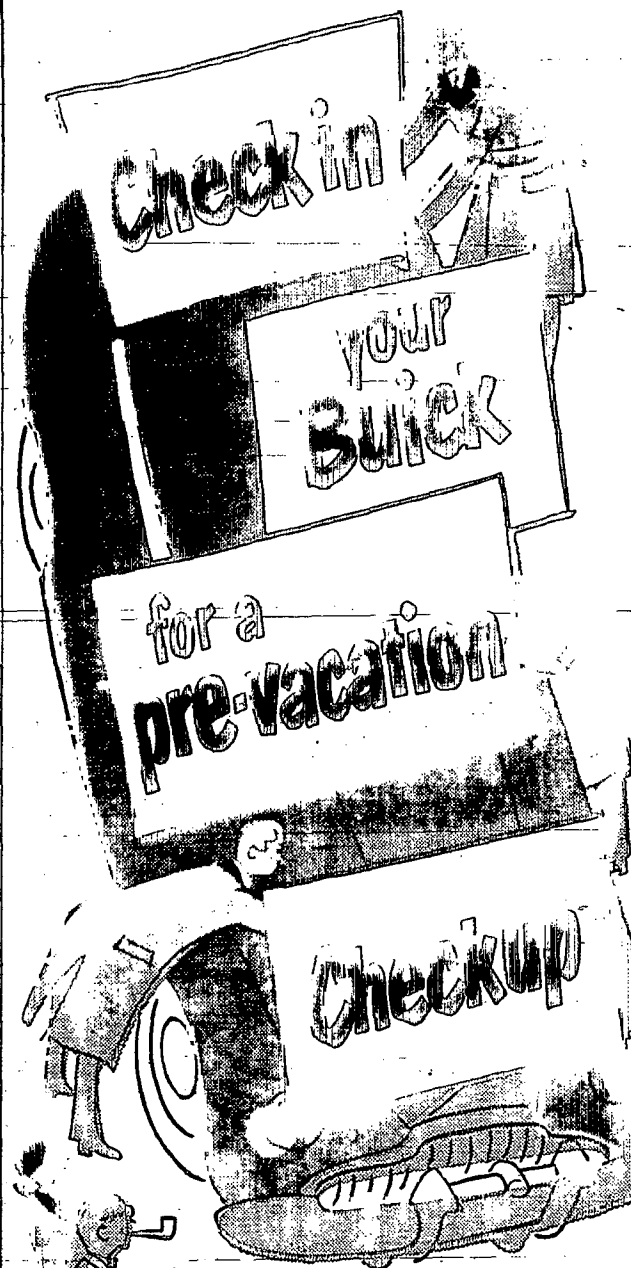
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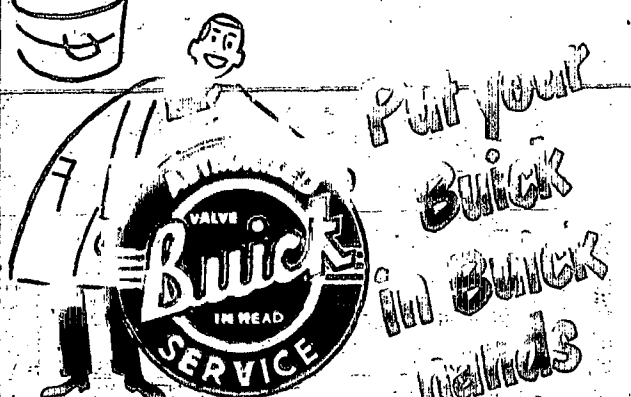
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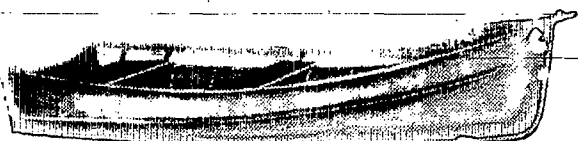
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Early Show Starts 8 P.M.—Last Complete Show 10:15 P.M.
Program For Week of June 30 to July 6

"Colt 45"
— Starring —
Randolph Scott and Ruth Roman
Friday & Saturday
ALSO
"Square Dance Katy"
— Starring —
Vera Vague and Warren Douglas
(TWO ACTION HITS)

Cartoon World News

"The Gunfighters"
— Starring —
Gregory Peck and Jean Parker
Sunday & Monday
Sunday Show Continuous From 2 P. M.
Cartoon Musical "March of Time" Late News

"The Outriders"
— Starring —
Joel McCrea and Barry Sullivan
— In Technicolor —
Tues. Wed. Thurs.
Last Feature Starts 10:00 P. M.
Disney Cartoon Comedy Musical

Bits O' Talk

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hodgins and children of Port Huron, visited at the home of Mrs. Marie Jensen over Sunday.

Dr. J. C. Lyon, Chiropractor, 604 Cedar St., US-27. Phone 4871, Grayling, Michigan.

Miss Patricia McGovern graduated from McKenzie High School, Detroit, on June 21st and plans to attend Michigan State College in the fall. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Foley.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Weaver recently entertained at their Lake Margrethe home twelve little guests in honor of the ninth birthday of their little son, Billy. Games were played and swimming enjoyed.

Gary Dunham spent last week in Mt. Pleasant visiting his cousin, Michael, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dawson.

Sandy Dunham spent three days last week visiting her cousin, Junior Dunham in Roscommon.

Mrs. Louise J. Irland is here to spend the summer and her son, Max J. Irland spent the week end visiting her recently.

Mrs. Foryst Barber underwent surgery at Mercy Hospital Friday.

Mrs. William Thompson and sons, Gary and Bobby of Flint arrived Tuesday to spend the remainder of the week with Mrs. Holger Schmidt. Mr. Thompson came on Friday and spent the week end.

Wm. Bolin and family of Baltimore, Md., spent a few days last week visiting Mrs. William Weiss.

Bob Bennett, who is sailing the Great Lakes for the summer season, was home for a short visit recently.

J. F. Prichard & Co. are driving a new Ford pickup truck purchased from the Welsh Motor Sales.

Mrs. Gordon Chamberlin of Port Huron left home Friday, after visiting her sister, Mrs. Oscar Hanson and family at Lake Margrethe for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Welsh and daughter, Miss Gail, spent Friday in Saginaw, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Stirling and family.

Fred C. Welsh spent Wednesday of last week in Traverse City attending a Ford meeting.

Jack Richardson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Richardson, who is home from the University of Michigan, after completing his freshman year, is employed by the City of Grayling for the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Trudgeon spent several days last week in the Upper Peninsula at the Little Indian Club.

Mrs. Burton McWilliams was absent from her duties at Shoppenhans Inn last week due to a sprained ankle.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Olson have a home under construction on the AuSable River.

Peter Olson left Sunday to enjoy a month at Camp Daggett on Walloon Lake.

Harold MacNeven, George Morrison, Tex Rickard and Dr. J. F. Cook were hosts to four officers of the Wyoming Air Guard for dinner at the Gaylord Ski Club last Thursday evening. Golf was enjoyed during the afternoon.

United States Congressman Albert J. Engle who is seeking the Republican nomination for Governor of Michigan, was a visitor in Grayling last Friday. Congressman Engle is a native of Lake City and was elected Prosecutor of Missaukee County following service in World War I and began his political career from there.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lovely and family were her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. I. J. LaVictoire of Mt. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Murphy and family of Detroit are spending two weeks here visiting the Leo Morency family.

Mrs. George Kraus and little granddaughters, Patricia Ann and Betty Joan of Chicago arrived Friday evening to spend the summer at the Kraus cottage at Lake Margrethe. The little girls are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kraus.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Jensen of Milford and Mrs. Elmer Jensen and children of Wanatha, Indiana, visited relatives here over the week end while guests at the Maurice Gorman home.

Bill Joseph left Saturday to attend the men's apparel show in Detroit, returning home on Wednesday. Mrs. Joseph and children accompanied him and spent the time in Eaton Rapids visiting her parents.

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PASS THE CREAM . . . Shades of Anna Held! Piper L. Ho (left) and Joyce Holden, both featured in the movie, "The Milkman," starring Jimmie Durante, decide to try a little of the stuff that made Anna Held famous over 50 years ago. In addition to enjoying the milk bath, the two girls are helping to observe the month of June as national dairy month. We don't know whether the milk is pasteurized or not, but we do know the beauties are Grade A.

Crawford County Still Leads State In Bond Drive

Detroit — Crawford County is the first in the State to top its quota in the U. S. Savings Bonds Independence Drive, according to figures announced today by Delmar V. Cote, Michigan director of the U. S. Savings Bonds Division.

The figures, compiled from reports received from the Federal Reserve Bank show that Crawford, with its county seat at Grayling, has made 214.9 per cent of its \$3,000 goal with total sales so far of \$6,447, Mr. Cote said.

However, he warned, if the state generally, including Wayne County, doesn't "put on a terrific ninth-

inning rally," Michigan is in dire danger of losing the leadership it has maintained in every Savings Bond drive since before the war.

He cited the fact that Michigan, which has always kept ahead of the pace, percentage-wise, is trailing alarmingly at this time. The State-as-a-whole-has-only reached 51.4 per cent of its \$32,834,000 quota thus far, whereas par for this stage of the Independence quota is \$18,100,000.

Actually, Mr. Cote points out, only 16 of the 83 Michigan Counties are doing better than the 55.55 per cent pace. Wayne County is 18th.

Other leading counties, according to the Federal figures are Otsego, with 92.21 per cent; Arenac, 92.62 per cent; Presque Isle, 82.66 per cent; Cheboygan, 81.74, and Osceola, 80.88 per cent.

Genesee County (Flint) is second in dollar sales to Wayne, with \$1,153,731, and seventh percentage wise, with 69 per cent of quota.

"Let's get that extra U. S. Savings Bonds before the Independence Drive ends and put Michigan over the top," Mr. Cote urged. "Save for your personal financial independence—your future freedom from money worries."

sota-Michigan line in Lake Superior. The corrected boundary lines are of principal value in enforcement of laws regulating commercial fishing.

Coming Week End Demands Care

The Fatal Fourth is with us again. Fourth of July week end accidents took 50 Michigan lives last year; 64 lives in 1948 and 49 lives in 1947.

Drownings, traffic accidents and over-exposure to excessive heat and sun were the major causes of death during the last year's liberty-celebrating holiday; 20 people died in swimming or boating accidents, 11 in traffic, 8 from excessive heat or heat-stroke, 4 from fire and 4 from falls, 2 in airplane accidents, and 1 in farming.

During the Independence Holiday in 1948, 24 were killed in traffic and 23 drowned; in 1947, 24 were killed in traffic and 13 drowned.

You may save your life this week-end if you dive, swim, boat, drive, walk, fly and play with care, the Department said. Let's keep Michigan free — from accidental death or maiming injury.

Monuments To Mark Lake Dividing Lines

Concrete monuments on shores of Lakes Michigan and Superior will mark the watery dividing line between Wisconsin, Michigan and Minnesota.

Construction of the so-called "reference points" began this week under the direction of Prof. Jerry Service of the Michigan College of Mining and Technology at Houghton. The work will require two summers to complete.

The three states, through an interstate boundary commission, reached an agreement effective June 27, 1947 that was later ratified by Congress.

Two concrete markers will be placed at each reference point. The new line through Lake Michigan beginning in the middle of the lake at a point opposite the Illinois-Wisconsin boundary on the west shore and extending north to the line through Green Bay that was fixed by the U. S. Supreme Court in 1938, straightens the former serpentine line that is the exact middle of the lake. Michigan ceded a point of land to Minnesota to simplify the Mian-

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She was following them on the highway and the paper flattened over her windshield, so she couldn't see. In a minute her little coupe was across the line—right in the path of an oncoming trailer-truck. It missed . . . but only just!

The parties were recognized and soon as I heard about it I ran over to Sheriff Harper—demanded they be brought up on charges. But

Harper says: "Hold on, Joe. Let's talk this out, over supper and a glass of beer at Andy's."

He pointed out that those men aren't criminals. Just careless, like a lot of us seem to be getting these days, judging from the trash you see along roadsides. From where I sit, this near-accident may be the lesson we need to make us stop littering our roads—and start showing a little tolerant consideration for our neighbors!

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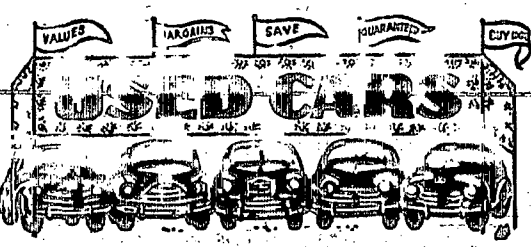
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Local Man Awarded Red Cross Certificate In Germany

Esslingen, Germany—American Red Cross European Headquarters reported today that Corporal Raleigh S. Owens of 208 Fulton St., Grayling, Michigan, has been awarded the Standard First Aid Certificate upon completion of an Army-sponsored course in accident prevention and first aid.

Accidents in Europe are costing American taxpayers over a half million dollars monthly, according to military sources. The Red Cross was asked to help reduce these figures by setting up educational safety courses for selected service personnel.

Cpl. Owens, who is with the 61st Supply Squadron at Rhein, Frankfurt, Main Air Base, Germany, was assigned to the safety school by his commanding officer. He was given instruction in both the prevention of accidents and the proper first aid care of accident victims.

The Red Cross safety program has met with widespread approval by Army and Air Force authorities in Germany, England and Austria.

The Sunday school was started in Gloucester, England, in 1735.

Golf Club Auxiliary Holds Luncheon

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Grayling Golf Club met at the club house for a luncheon on Thursday. Thirty-six members and their guests were served by the lunch committee.

A business meeting followed at which time Mrs. Alfred "Bud" Sorenson was elected president by a unanimous vote. Mrs. Esbern Hanson accepted an appointment to take charge of filling the club house flower boxes and Mrs. George Griffith agreed to assist her. The installation of a stove was discussed. The Auxiliary meeting day was changed from Wednesday to Thursday.

Bridge, canasta and golf followed the business meeting. Bridge prizes were won by Mrs. Carl Strobel and Mrs. George Hanner, prizes for canasta by Mrs. Roy Vandercreek and Mrs. Hare MacNeven and Mrs. Esbern Olson, Jr., won the golf prize.

Mrs. Esbern Olson, Sr., and Mrs. Bertha Peterson were hostesses for the afternoon. The lunch committee was chairmanned by Mrs. J. F. Cook, who was assisted by Mrs. Robert Neatie, Mrs. Thomas Stanch, Mrs. Emil Niederer and Mrs. Robert Strong.

There is to be a potluck dinner for club members and their guests at 5 o'clock the afternoon of July 4. The names of those on committee to take charge of the affair will be posted on the newly installed bulletin board.

In case anyone wishes to join the Golf Club, membership dues are as follows: Full club privileges for a couple \$40; for one person \$25; social privileges only, per couple \$20; single \$10. A social membership entitles one to attend all social functions and is for those who do not care to play golf or would rather pay greens fees which are 75c for 9 holes of golf or \$1.25 for all day. The Auxiliary membership fee is \$2. New members are welcomed.

Former Resident Marries Barbara I. Miller Weds Charles F. McClung

White slipper satin fashioned the gown of Barbara I. Miller when she came down the aisle on the arm of her father, in the Oak Park Methodist Church, Saturday, June 17th, at Flint, to plight her troth with Charles F. McClung. The Rev. Marshall W. Hoyt performed the double ring ceremony assisted by the groom's grandfather, the Rev. John McClung of Harrison, Michigan.

The pointed bodice was buttoned down the back to the waistline in miniature satin covered buttons, where a full skirt fell into a cathedral train. Her fingertip veil was secured in a "terra of seed pearls, and satin. Her bouquet was of red roses and stephanotis tied with long satin ribbons and she wore a three strand pearl necklace, a gift of her mother.

Beverly Ann McClung, sister of the groom, was maid of honor in a gown of blue net over taffeta fashioned with a sweetheart neckline and her headress was of matching net and flowers with pearls. She carried white and yellow roses tied with blue ribbons. Barbara Suggs and Donna Morse of Flint, friends of the bride, acted as bridesmaids. Their gowns and headresses were fashioned as those of the maid of honor in pink and yellow, respectively. They also carried roses tied with ribbons to match their gowns.

Charles W. Miller, brother of the bride, was best man and Harold D. Arnold of Flint, and William E. Williams of DePaw University, Greencastle, Indiana, acted as ushers. Assistant ushers were Robert L. Bennett and Dwain Morse of Flint.

Two hundred and fifty guests were present to witness the beautiful ceremony performed before an altar decorated with palms, candles and baskets of cut flowers.

flowers. Music was furnished by the organist, Thelma Torrey, and Ward N. Sipes of Flint sang The Lords Prayer.

A reception was held in The Flint Scot's House where three hundred guests wished them a long and happy wedded life. A large covered table, centered with a five tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom, and baskets of roses and bouquets of peonies decorated the house. Refreshments were served and dancing enjoyed.

The bride chose a navy suit of garbardin with white accessories for their honeymoon, where they will tour through Northern Michigan. Upon their return they will reside at 3421 1/2 Flushing Rd.

The bride's mother was attired in a navy crepe, two-piece dress, with white accessories and the groom's mother wore a dress of navy georgette crepe trimmed with French lace with white accessories. Both wore corsages of red roses.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. John G. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. James A. McClung.

Out of town guests were from Owosso, Vernon, Chapin, Detroit, Rochester, Port Huron, Saginaw, Bay City, Harrison, Grayling and Indiana.

Mrs. McClung graduated from Hoover High School, Flint, and was chosen valedictorian of her class of '50. She will attend Flint Junior College this fall. Mr. McClung attended Grayling High School, and is now a student of General Motors Institute.

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Officers present were Col. Robert N. Maupin, 187th Fighter group, commanding officer; Col. Francis Grable, A. I.; Capt. Vincent Casey, commanding officer, Detachment B; and Major Ben

Nelson, state staff, all of Wyoming; Major Nelson is also mayor of the city of Cheyenne, Wyo.

Colorado officers present were Col. Maurice Empey, 240th S group, commanding officer; Col. David Sigismund, deputy group commander; Major Walter E. Williams, 120th Fighter squadron, commanding officer; Major Bernard G. Perry, special service and chaplain; Major Albert J. Freund, air instructor; Major Glen H. Dorward, operations; Major Daniel Pfennig, base adjutant; Major Joseph W. Freman, surgeon; Lieut. Col. Jack B. Henderson, executive officer; and Major Stephan Knoles,

commanding officer, Detachment A. Mayor Albert Roberts of Grayling was also a guest at the dinner.

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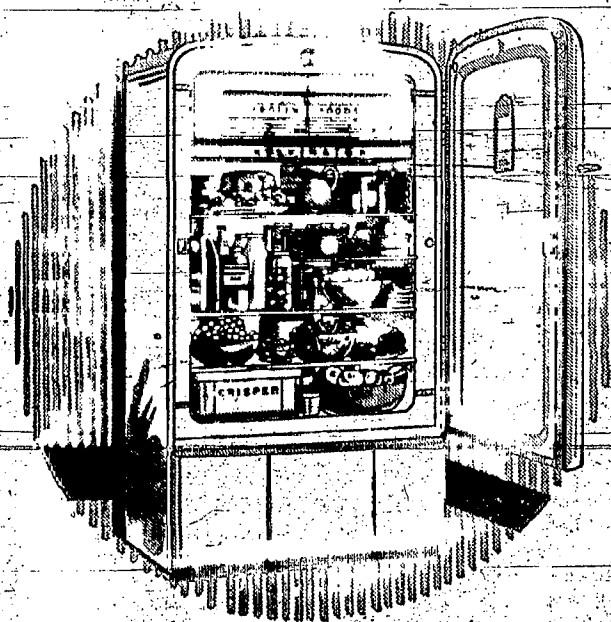


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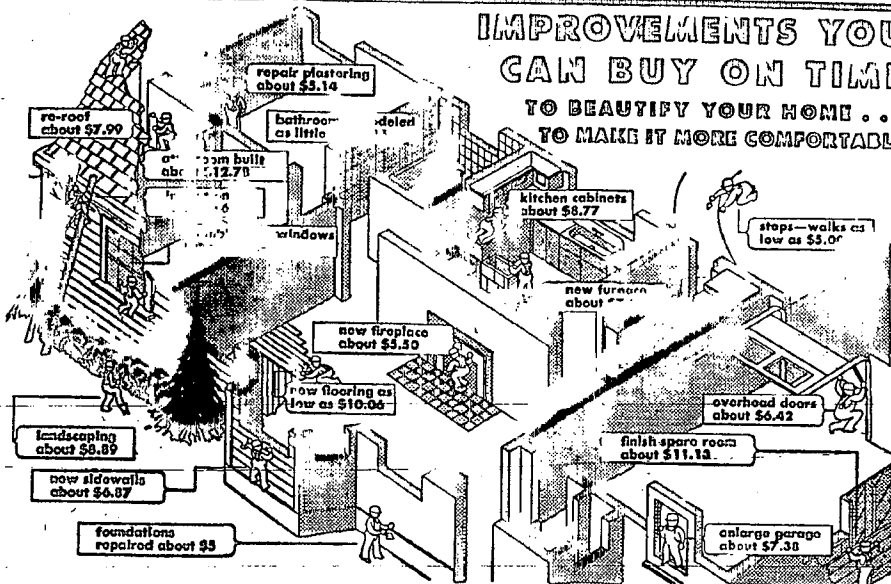
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3. Stop
4. Notion
5. A rapped, tanned skin
6. Holding device
7. Sound, as of a gun
8. Turbidity
9. Nourish
10. A shield (cl.)
11. Athlete
12. Dancer
13. Chin
14. Whisker
15. Receipts for coffee
16. Milled
17. Mother
18. Ribs
19. Conjunction
20. Line of junction
21. Smallest state (abbr.)
22. Charge for services
23. Talented
24. A monkey
25. Plague
26. Clock face
27. Man's name
28. Beach
29. City (Nov.)
30. Down

DOWN

1. Right
2. Rogues

3. Fish (Jap.)
4. Horn
5. Remove, as a hat
6. Mountain
7. Drop in the middle
8. Method of painting on fresh plaster
9. The rice and fall of oceans
10. A bishop's headpiece
11. Old times (archaic)
12. Thin in plate
13. Able
14. Old times (archaic)
15. Thin in plate
16. Able
17. Old times (archaic)
18. Thin in plate
19. Able
20. Old times (archaic)
21. Thin in plate
22. Able
23. Old times (archaic)
24. Thin in plate
25. Able
26. Old times (archaic)
27. Thin in plate
28. Able
29. Old times (archaic)
30. Thin in plate
31. Able
32. Old times (archaic)

Road Commissioners Minutes

May 5, 1950.

Regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission held at their office in Grayling.

Present: Chester Lozon, George Skingley and Elmer Corsaut.

Absent: None.

Meeting called to order by the Chairman Chester Lozon.

Minutes of the last regular and one special meeting were read and approved.

Motion by Chester Lozon, that bills 1 through 42 be allowed as drawn.

Yea: Chester Lozon, George Skingley and Elmer Corsaut.

Nays: None.

- Crawford County Road Commission \$3,648.81
- A. L. Hull 214.03
- C. Lozon 16.20
- G. Skingley 17.80
- E. Corsaut 17.80
- W. Ferguson 122.50
- C. Anthony 85.00
- Cadillac Overall Supply 5.40
- Union Telephone Co. 22.15
- Leng Brothers 829.33
- The Crawford Avalanche 51.95
- Michigan Mutual Liability Co. 1,178.82
- S. & B. Oil Company 91.16
- Fred Niederer 2.75
- Emil Niederer 87.50
- E. Sawyer Johnson Co. 11.80
- Fochtman Motor Co. 85.51
- Northern Supply Co. 19.08
- Scientific Brake & Equipment Co. 58.08
- The Lowery Co. 218.31
- Ron's Hardware 3.04
- Russell Electric Co. 27.51
- Harold Alexander 108.29
- Zeder Motor Sales 16.02
- Root Scrapper Co. 41.40
- Duplex Truck Co. 49.29
- Jennison Hardware Co. 20.02
- Michigan Tractor & Machinery Co. 28.88
- City of Grayling 57.87
- O. F. Toepfner 4.80
- Alfred Hanson 17.00
- Wench Battery Co. 161.75

Mary Elizabeth Alexander, deceased.

Lucile S. Braun having filed in said Court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to John Bruun of Grayling, Michigan, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 3rd day of July, 1950 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.

Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate. 8-15-22-29

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

A session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling, in said County, on the 3rd day of June, 1950.

Present: Hon. Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Sister Mary Fidelia Allen, deceased.

This day the executrix having filed in said Court her final administration account and petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, that the 10th day of July, 1950, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is further Ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate.

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Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate. 15-22-29-6

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 8th day of June, 1950.

Present: Hon. Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Elizabeth Alexander, deceased.

Lucile S. Braun having filed in said Court her petition praying that said Court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of her death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is Ordered that the 17th day of July, 1950 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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Sealed bids are being accepted by the Frederic School Board for the sale of a school bus with 1941 Dodge superior body and rebuilt motor used one year. Bus may be seen at E. A. Corsaut home, Frederic, Michigan. Bids will be opened July 3, 1950. The board reserves the right to accept or reject all bids.

Frederic School Board,
E. A. Corsaut, Secretary,
22-29
Frederic, Michigan.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 31st day of May A. D. 1950.

Present: Hon. Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of

- City of Grayling 6,447.27
- International Harvester Co. Inc. 76.47
- Monarch Road Machinery Co. 7.72
- Corwin Auto Sales 3.36
- Standard Oil Co. 913.26
- A. Schreiber 125.00
- Feldhauser 137.50
- Hanson Hardware 8.37
- W. C. Tufts 8.37
- Secretary of State 7.23
- Motion by Elmer Corsaut that we permit Consumers Power Company to erect a Wood Pole line on Sections 7, 8, and 9, T 25 N, R 2 W.
- Yea: Chester Lozon, George Skingley and Elmer Corsaut.
- Nays: None.
- The following bids on car were opened:
- McEvers Motor Sales, Buick 41 D, 4 door Sedan \$1,885.00
- Ford 4 door Sedan 1,300.00
- Trade in

- Difference \$585.00
- Welsh Motor Sales, Ford Custom, 4 door Sedan 8 \$1,680.00
- Ford 4 door Sedan 1,330.00
- Trade in
- Difference \$350.00
- Alfred Hanson, Chevrolet, Styleline, 4 door DeLuxe \$1,565.00
- Ford 4 door Sedan 1,215.00
- Trade in
- Difference \$350.00

Motion by Elmer Corsaut that we accept the bid of Welsh Motor Sales.

Yea: Chester Lozon, George Skingley and Elmer Corsaut.

Nays: None.

Motion by Chester Lozon that we accept the payment from the Lovells Township Board for the Shupac Lake job and cancel the difference in cost of same.

Yea: Chester Lozon, George Skingley and Elmer Corsaut.

Nays: None.

Motion by Elmer Corsaut that the Superintendent be instructed to purchase a heavier rear end for the County Road Foreman's pickup.

Yea: Chester Lozon, George Skingley and Elmer Corsaut.

Nays: None.

Mr. Johnson and Mr. Telle appeared before the board in the interest of Motor Oil.

Motion by Chester Lozon, supported by George Skingley that we adjourn until May 11, 1950, at 7 o'clock. All voting in favor.

Motion carried.

Chester Lozon, Chairman.

William Ferguson, Clerk.

May 6, 1950.

Joint meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission with the Roads and Bridge Committee. Held at the Road Commission office in Grayling.

Present: Chester Lozon, George Skingley and Elmer Corsaut of the Road Commission.

Absent: None.

Present: A. P. Feldhauser, Ray Murphy and Al Roberts of the Roads and Bridge Committee.

Absent: None.

Meeting called to order by the Chairman Chester Lozon.

A general discussion of road affairs were held regarding Blacktopping in the future.

The Board inspected condition at the City Dump.

Motion by Chester Lozon, supported by Elmer Corsaut that we adjourn. All voting in favor.

Motion carried.

Chester Lozon, Chairman.

William Ferguson, Clerk.

May 11, 1950.

Special meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission held at their office in Grayling.

Present: Chester Lozon and George Skingley.

Absent: Elmer Corsaut.

Meeting called to order by the Chairman Chester Lozon.

A trip of inspection was made in Beaver Creek Township.

Roy McEvers appeared before the Board in the interest of having a culvert installed in the road at Lake Margrethe.

Motion by Chester Lozon, supported by George Skingley to adjourn until May 19, 1950 at 10 o'clock. All voting in favor.

Motion carried.

Chester Lozon, Chairman.

William Ferguson, Clerk.

May 19, 1950.

Regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission held at their office in Grayling.

Present: Chester Lozon, George Skingley and Elmer Corsaut.

Absent: None.

Meeting called to order by the Chairman Chester Lozon.

Minutes of the last regular, one joint and one special meeting were read and approved.

Motion by Elmer Corsaut that bills 1 to 14 be allowed as drawn.

Yea: Chester Lozon, George Skingley and Elmer Corsaut.

Nays: None.

- Crawford County Road Commission \$3,549.61
- A. L. Hull 22.34
- Chester Lozon 24.30
- Elmer Corsaut 26.70
- George Skingley 26.40
- William Ferguson 122.50
- Ernestine Church 40.40
- Clyde Anthony 31.88
- Albert Schreiber 125.00
- Arthur Feldhauser 137.50
- Cadillac Overall Supply 5.40
- City of Grayling 48.67
- Fochtman Motor Co. 100.00
- Northern Supply Co. 123.83
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Motion by Elmer Corsaut that we accept the bid of Harold Alexander.

Yea: Chester Lozon, George Skingley and Elmer Corsaut.

Nays: None.

Mr. Lumly appeared before the board regarding completion of

black top on Wakeley Bridge.

Motion by Elmer Corsaut that we hire Ernestine Church as Asst. Clerk at \$125.00 per month.

Yea: Chester Lozon, George Skingley and Elmer Corsaut.

Nays: None.

Mr. Weaver appeared before the board regarding road at Lake Margrethe.

Correspondence was read from the Portage Lake Park Co. regarding road improvement to the Danish Landing.

Motion by George Skingley and supported by Elmer Corsaut that we adjourn to Thursday, May 25th at 7 P. M.

All voting in favor, motion carried.

Chester Lozon, Chairman.

William Ferguson, Clerk.

May 25, 1950.

Special meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission held at their office in Grayling.

Present: Chester Lozon, George Skingley and Elmer Corsaut.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Chester Lozon.

A trip of inspection was made on the new trunk line highway South of Grayling.

The problem of dust layer was discussed and it was decided to try to give such service before all holidays, when necessary.

Motion by Chester Lozon and supported by George Skingley to adjourn until June 3rd at 10 A. M.

All voting in favor. Motion carried.

Chester Lozon, Chairman.

William Ferguson, Clerk.

June 3, 1950.

Joint meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission with the Roads and Bridge Committee. Held at the Road Commission office in Grayling, on June 3.

Present: Chester Lozon, George Skingley and Elmer Corsaut.

Absent: Paul Feldhauser.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Chester Lozon.

The Boards went on a trip of inspection to 612. Construction project.

A general discussion of road affairs was held.

Motion by George Skingley and supported by Elmer Corsaut that we adjourn.

All in favor. Motion carried.

Chester Lozon, Chairman.

William Ferguson, Clerk.

June 5, 1950.

Regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission held at their office in Grayling.

Present: Chester Lozon and Elmer Corsaut.

Absent: George Skingley.

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Chester Lozon.

Minutes of the last regular and one special and one joint meeting were read and approved.

It was moved by Elmer Corsaut that bills 1 through 36 be allowed as drawn.

Yea: Chester Lozon and Elmer Corsaut.

Nays: None.

- Crawford County Road Commission \$3,458.25
- A. L. Hull 209.43
- Chester Lozon 24.30
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South Branch

(Too Late For last Week)

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Dusenbury and son of Jackson sent the week and visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dusenbury.

J. D. Hart who is employed in Flint spent the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hart, Irving Drinkans, Sr., spent the week end at his cabin.

James Williams, Richard Kreuzer and Bob Maurer all of Pontiac spent Sunday visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Williams.

Mrs. Burton Williams and daughters, June and Ernestine and Mrs. Frank Boersma spent Friday in Lake City on business.

There will be a fellowship dinner in connection with a Children's Day program at the South Branch Church of Christ, this Sunday, June 25. Potluck dinner. Everyone welcome.

Charles Huntley is in Vestaburg this week on business.

There will be a special Congregational Board meeting at the church on Thursday evening June 29 at 8 P. M. It is urgent that everyone attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Patch spent last week end in Mt. Clemens visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Patch.

Carol Huntley spent Sunday and Monday visiting Peggy and Kathy Boersma.

Owing to its great dependence upon monsoon rains, India is more liable to crop failure than any other country.

17. Cash 41.40

18. Grayling Lumber 10.40

19. Short Freight Lines 17.48

20. Auto Parts Sales Corp. 16.82

21. Crawford Avalanche 27.00

22. Doubleday Hunt 14.55

23. Dolen Co. 25.50

24. Topsall Lubricant Inc. 52.50

25. Detroit Bail Brg. Co. 68.18

26. Martin Hi-Speed 5.00

27. Scientific Brake & Equipment Co. 63.38

28. Rons Hardware 10.40

29. Alfred Hanson 4.12

30. Thch. C. Tupper 7.02

31. Duplex Truck Co. 27.81

32. Standard Oil Co. 213.82

33. Johnson Oil Co. 255.84

34. Union Telephone Co. 22.40

35. Jennison Hardware Co. 60.00

36. W. C. Tufts 244.65

37. Cash 300.00

Motion by Chester Lozon that we renew Fire Insurance on the Garage Building on Huron Street. Yea: Chester Lozon and Elmer Corsaut.

Nays: None.

The Board with Superintendent Hull made a trip of inspection on 612, returning by Bald Hill.

Motion by Elmer Corsaut and supported by Chester Lozon that we adjourn until Tuesday, June 13, at 1:30 P. M.

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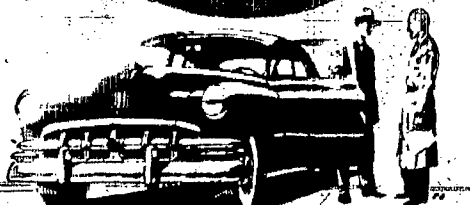
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In Chancery

Charles L. Smith, Plaintiff,

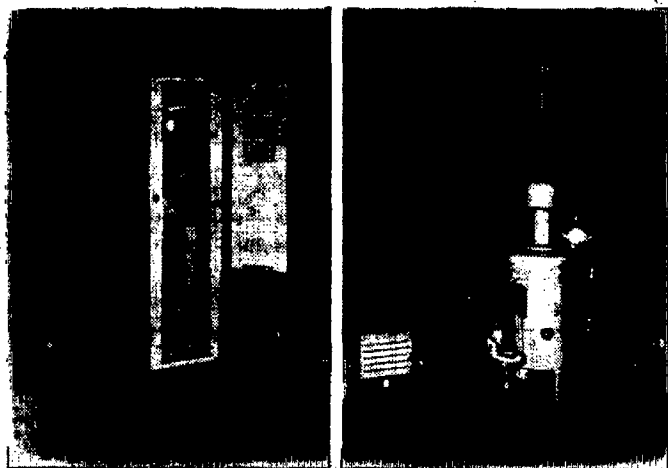
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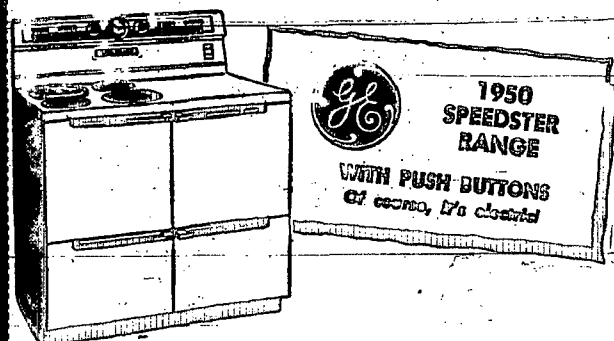
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Bits O' Talk

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Trenaman left for their home in Flint Monday after spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Strong at Lake Margrethe.

Enjoy each Saturday evening at St. Mary's Church grounds. Games. Refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Colgrove and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Jensen of Milford were week end guests at the Peter Jensen residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitey Madsen and children sent Saturday in Gaylord visiting his mother, Mrs. Carl Madsen and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Quay and Mrs. Milford Quay of Gaylord spent Sunday visiting in Grayling. Bob and Clarence Papendick were home from Flint and spent the week end with their respective parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Milnes and Mr. and Mrs. Menno Corwin have returned home from a two weeks vacation in the west, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rosin (Jane Milnes) in Clovis, New Mexico. Among the points of interest that they visited while gone were the Grand Canyon and Rocky Mountain National Park. Roy O. Milnes, Jr., is home from school to spend the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Bauer, Jr., and sons, Peter and Jimmy of Saginaw spent Friday and Saturday visiting Mrs. O. P. Schumann.

Mrs. Herbert Wolff and daughter, Miss Marjorie of South Bend, Indiana are here to spend the summer at their new cottage at Lake Margrethe. Mr. Wolff spent the week end. Mrs. Wolff's mother, Mrs. George Robertson is a guest and her nephew, George Robertson, Jr., spent the week end.

Miss Jane Hildebrand of East Lansing and her grandfather, Rev. Hildebrand of Saginaw and Mr. Perrin of Sheppard spent the week end at the Hildebrand cottage at Lake Margrethe.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Johnson were in Mt. Pleasant Saturday, where they attended the wedding and reception of Miss Gretchen Battles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Battles and R. Elbrecht of Detroit, which took place at St. John's Episcopal Church.

Miss Lillian Norconk and nephew Robert Weidman of Empire arrived Monday to visit the Carl W. Johnsons at White Birch.

Mrs. Edward Webb is confined to Mercy Hospital with a fractured hip.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larson left here Wednesday and on Thursday joined Rev. R. C. Puffer and the group of boys who are camping at Mystery Lake, Canada. The Larsons returned home Sunday and reported that all the group were getting along fine and having a grand time.

Word received here tells that Captain and Mrs. Clyde Borchers and Miss Barbara Ann Borchers are very much enjoying their tour of Italy, Switzerland and France. John Bruun and Melvin Nielson spent a few days in Lansing on business the first of the week.

Mrs. Emil Giegling has returned home after a two weeks educational tour of the New England States sponsored by C. M. C. E., Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Allen and daughters, Eleanor and Jean of Traverse City visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Parsons and Ernie, Sunday, and all enjoyed a picnic at Hartwick Pines.

CARD OF THANKS

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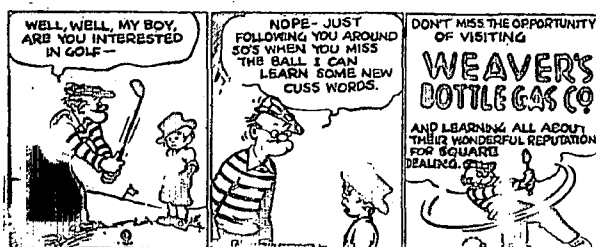
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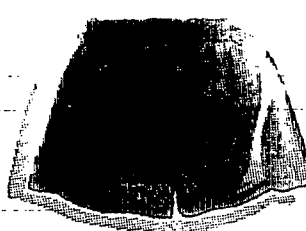
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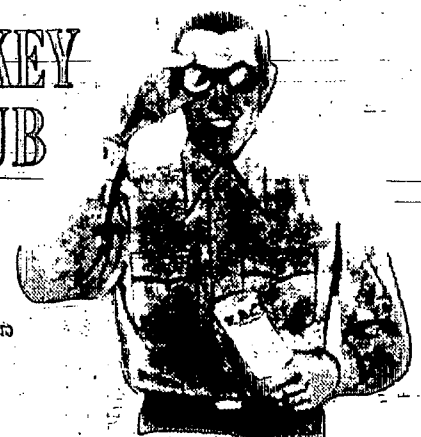
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Bits O' Talk

Don Vick and Ben Morris of Detroit were week end guests at the Stanley Smith home. Louis Rutkowski of Detroit is enjoying a two weeks vacation with his parents and spent Monday and Tuesday at the Soo. Mrs. Smith spent Monday in Gaylord visiting her sister and family, the Louis Man-kowskis.

Mrs. Ernest Borchers and Mrs. Frank Bond went to Ann Arbor Tuesday to get Miss Joan Bond, who had been attending Girl's State.

The Misses Jean Lovely, Cora and Margaret LaGrow, Kay Ann LaMotte, Jacky Sue Hunter, Greta Rasmussen and Judy Weaver are enjoying a week at girls camp at Muskegon State Park. Wes LaGrow and Mr. and Mrs. Liwyn Doremire took the girls to camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Funck have departed for Milwaukee, where they will reside at 1316 W. Highland Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Funck and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Funck attended the wedding of Miss Evelyn Clingan and Frank Cole in Grayling last Friday evening. The bride is a niece of Mrs. Robert Funck.

Mrs. Colla Granger spent last week visiting her son, George Granger and family in Big Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Granger brought her home on Sunday. Jimmy Granger is enjoying the week at Boy Scout Camp.

Mrs. Stanley Stealy and daughter, Miss Jane Ann left for Detroit Sunday, the former to attend the fall market showing of ladies apparel.

Mrs. A. E. Michelson and Mrs. F. C. Finn, both of Detroit, are leaving for a seven week trip in Europe, on July 1. Following their return, Mrs. Michelson will come to her home at 1316 W. Highland Avenue.

Among six boys who received Eagle Scout awards from Troop 277 of Detroit on June 19 in ceremonies at the Bushnell Congregational Church was Jan Libcke, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Libcke. The awards were given by Rev. Treat.

The same six boys became the first in Detroit scouting to receive the Emergency Service Award. Mayor Cobo of Detroit made the award of the award to Mrs. E. G. LeButt of Detroit and Mrs. V. E. Hart of London, England, were guests of the Edwin LeButts last week. Little Michael LeButt returned to Detroit with them on Sunday for a week's visit.

Guests of Miss Gloria Moore during the past week end were Henry Porter of Jackson and Jack Doran of Northville.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thompson and son, Ricky of Birmingham spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Hills and little daughter Catherine Lee. Ricky remained to spend the week and was on hand to help Miss Catherine celebrate her birthday, June 23, at which time she became a great big four years old.

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William Butler, Jr., of Detroit spent the week end here visiting his sister, Miss Florence.

John Kasper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jo Kasper, has enlisted in the air force and has left for San Antonio, Texas. Donald Owen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Owen, has also enlisted in the air corp.

LeRoy Christian and wife, Loretta, daughters, Jacquelyn and Linda, drove by car to Philadelphia after school was out, for a two weeks vacation. They visited at Mrs. Christian's relatives, mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frisco. Highlights of the trip included the drive through Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania turnpike, attendance at the Phillies-Brooklyn baseball game and enjoying the Philadelphia Inquirers music show at the Municipal Stadium. Mr. Christian returned to start the summer music program, while Mrs. Christian and family will remain for a few weeks to visit with her parents.

Don Parrish and Miss Betty Mathewson visited in Bay City Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacey Stephan observed their 21st wedding anniversary on June 26th.

R. N. Geraldine Golinick of Bay City spent a few days recently visiting her parents, Sheriff and Mrs. William Golinick.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all friends for cards and gifts sent to our son, Gary, during his illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Russell.

Frederic News

The Youth Rally last Wednesday night brought a large crowd here. Supper was served at the Town Hall with services at the church.

John Armstrong is nursing a cut and severe sore hand.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Vanderbusche of Detroit came up last Monday and brought the Morris Burrieks home. Mrs. Vanderbusche is Mr.

Burrieks mother. Come again soon grandma and grandpa.

Miss Mary Ellen and Eileen Madill, Ruth Payne, Joan Madill, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Ethel Gilbert and daughter Carolyn, at the latter's cabin in Waters.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Benjamin of Walled Lake spent the week end with his son, the George Benjamin.

Clinton Foster of Sarnia, Ont., spent two days last week, coming up to see his uncle, James E. McCracken who is very sick.

John Rowell of Lansing came up Sunday to see his grandpa McCracken.

Mrs. Elroy Barber came home last Tuesday after a two weeks vacation in Ohio with Mr. Barber.

Mrs. George Horton was called to Walled Lake Sunday by the serious illness of her granddaughter, Mrs. Dick (Jerry) Myers.

Frank Booth and two daughters, Miss Hazel Booth and Mrs. Alida Bassett of Saginaw spent Sunday with Mr. Booth's uncle and cousins, James E. McCracken and the Harry Hortons.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Cram took Mr. Cram's mother, Mrs. Harry Cram, home to Big Bay last week.

The son, the Jimmy Crams of Flint spent the week end here.

Mrs. Laura Wallace is home from a three weeks vacation in Bay City and Detroit.

Michelson Memorial Church School Notes

Awards for perfect attendance for the month of June were earned by Kitty Lee Funck, Hanna and Christopher Bear, Billy Moshier, Karen Gothro, Kay Ann Thompson, Karen Atkinson and Frances King in the Kindergarten Department; Arnold Stancil, Joe Robertson, Billy Ecklund, Betty Johnson, Jerry Larson, Mikey Paul Roberts, Anna Marie Stancil, Susan Kay Wiggins, Gwen Nelson, Homer King, Terry Johnson, Marshall Atkinson, Christine Lutz, Kay Ann Stephan, Sally and Bonnie Nelson in the Primary Department. June birthdays were celebrated by Patty Wiseman and Carlo Fenton.

Visitors in the Junior Department were Karen Long of Detroit and Marilyn Jones of Muskegon. The eighth grade class had charge of the worship service in the Junior-Intermediate room, with

Miss Sylvia Robertson leading the service. The assembly was addressed briefly by Mr. R. Peters, who was speaking at the morning church service.

Next Sunday, July 2, the summer program gets under way. Terry Hilton, senior member of the Administration Class, will be acting superintendent of the Kindergarten Department, and will be assisted by other members of the class. In the afternoon, eight members of the Junior Department will go to Lake Louise for their week at camp, intermediates

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OPEN
JULY 4TH
ALL DAY

| Assorted Bulk Candy 29c | Michigan Catsup 2 bottles 29c | Picnic Specials | | | | Fresh Creamy Cottage Cheese 1 lb. carton 19c | Vita Boy Potato Chips 29c box 19c |
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| White Paper Napkins 2 for 19c | Chocolate or Vanilla Cookies Full pound 35c | FREE - FREE - FREE | | | | Colored Paper Plates 2 pkgs. 25c | For Your Salad Eggs 35c doz. |
| Fresh Cucumbers 6 for 25c | Radishes or Onions 2 for 9c | Green Peppers 3 for 10c | Loin Pork Roasts 49c lb. | Fresh Veal Stew 39c lb. | Ring Bologna 35c lb. | | |
| California Oranges 29c doz. | California Cantaloupes 2 for 39c | New Cabbage 5c lb. | A Real Value Veal Chops 59c lb. | Branded Pot Roasts 59c lb. | End Cut Pork Chops 43c lb. | | |

The Store That Brings You Mid - Winter Prices During The Hot Tourist Season

WE LIMIT QUANTITIES

BLACK & WHITE GROCERY

NO SALES TO DEALERS